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Interview Summary

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Applicant(s)

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 12 July 2007.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1 and 2.

Identification of prior art discussed: Yamamoto.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant discussed claim 1, specially the limitation "connecting a plurality of unit image groups where each of the unit group is guaranteed in advance to indicate one communication information to a viewer" and compared with the description of the Yamamoto's reference in figs 14 and 23. Applicant will submit possible amendment in the next response to modify this limitation in claim 1 and other independent claims.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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